

HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES, GREAT LAKES, LAND USE, AND ENVIRONMENT

Thursday, June 2, 2005

9:00 a.m.

Room 519 House Office Building

Representative Palsrok, Chair, called the meeting to order.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Representatives Palsrok, Pavlov, Palmer, LaJoy, Ward, Elsenheimer, Moore, Pearce, Gillard, Miller, Byrnes, Bennett and Donigan.

Representative Miller moved to excuse absent members.

Representative Pearce supported the motion.

There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

MEMBERS ABSENT/EXCUSED: Representatives Meyer and Kathleen Law.

Representative Pavlov moved to approve the minutes of the May 19, 2005 meeting.

Representative Pearce supported the motion.

There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

The Chair laid SB 79 before the committee.

SB 79 McManus Counties; other; voter approval for waste reduction program and funding amounts; provide for.

Senator McManus testified in support of SB 79.

James Clift, representing the Michigan Environmental Council, testified and stated they are neutral on SB 79 at this time.

The following people submitted cards in support of SB 79, but did not wish to speak:

Tom Fritzler, representing the Michigan Townships Association,
Mike Johnston, representing the Michigan Manufactures Association,
Tom Hickson, representing the Michigan Association of Counties,
Doug Roberts, representing the Michigan Chamber of Commerce,*
Adrian Cazal, representing the Michigan Waste Industry Association,

Patricia Spitzley, representing Republic Waste Services.

Representative Elsenheimer moved to report out SB 79 with recommendation.

Representative Miller supported the motion.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 11-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Palsrok, Pavlov, Palmer, LaJoy, Elsenheimer, Moore, Pearce, Miller, Byrnes, Bennett and Donigan,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

SB 79 reported out with recommendation.

The Chair laid SB 73 before the committee.

SB 73 Birkholz Environmental protection; air pollution; nonattainment area offsets; establish conditions for.

Sally Durfee, representing Senator Birkholz's office, testified in support of SB 73.

Mike Johnston, representing the Michigan Manufactures Association, testified in support of SB 73.*

Vinson Hellwig, representing the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, submitted a card in support of SB 73, but did not wish to speak.

Representative LaJoy moved to report out SB 73 with recommendation.

Representative Pearce supported the motion.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 11-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Palsrok, Pavlov, Palmer, LaJoy, Elsenheimer, Moore, Pearce, Miller, Byrnes, Bennett and Donigan,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

SB 73 reported out with recommendation.

The Chair laid HB 4710, HB 4711, HB 4712, HB 4713, HB 4714, HB 4715 and HB 4716 before the committee.

HB 4710 Acciavatti	Natural resources; nonnative species; prohibited insect and aquatic plant species; identify.
HB 4711 Palsrok	Natural resources; nonnative species; prohibition on "release" of certain fish species; revise to cover "introduction" of certain insect and aquatic plant species.
HB 4712 Moore	Natural resources; nonnative species; genetically engineered aquatic plants; recognize in natural resources and environmental protection act and prohibit introduction of genetically engineered aquatic plants or nonnative aquatic plants.
HB 4713 Proos	Natural resources; nonnative species; requirements and penalties; require to post on department of natural resources website.
HB 4714 Pavlov	Natural resources; nonnative species; nonnative species advisory council; establish.
HB 4715 Hansen	Natural resources; nonnative species; nonnative species advisory council; specify duties of.
HB 4716 Farhat	Natural resources; nonnative species; penalties; clarify state of mind required as element of violation.

Representatives Pavlov and Acciavatti testified in support of the bills.

Representative Pavlov moved to adopt substitute (H-1) to HB 4710.

Representative Miller supported the motion.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 11-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Palsrok, Pavlov, Palmer, LaJoy, Elsenheimer, Moore, Pearce, Miller, Byrnes, Bennett and Donigan,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Representative Pavlov moved to adopt substitute (H-2) to HB 4711.

Representative Miller supported the motion.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 11-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Palsrok, Pavlov, Palmer, LaJoy, Elsenheimer, Moore, Pearce,

Miller, Byrnes, Bennett and Donigan,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Representative Pavlov moved to adopt substitute (H-1) to HB 4712.

Representative Byrnes supported the motion.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 11-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Palsrok, Pavlov, Palmer, LaJoy, Elsenheimer, Moore, Pearce, Miller, Byrnes, Bennett and Donigan,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Representative Pavlov moved to adopt substitute (H-2) to HB 4713.

Representative Byrnes supported the motion.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 11-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Palsrok, Pavlov, Palmer, LaJoy, Elsenheimer, Moore, Pearce, Miller, Byrnes, Bennett and Donigan,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Representative Pavlov moved to adopt substitute (H-2) to HB 4714.

Representative Miller supported the motion.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 11-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Palsrok, Pavlov, Palmer, LaJoy, Elsenheimer, Moore, Pearce, Miller, Byrnes, Bennett and Donigan,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Representative Pavlov moved to adopt substitute (H-2) to HB 4715.

Representative Miller supported the motion.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 11-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Palsrok, Pavlov, Palmer, LaJoy, Elsenheimer, Moore, Pearce, Miller, Byrnes, Bennett and Donigan,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Representative Pavlov moved to adopt substitute (H-2) to HB 4716.

Representative Miller supported the motion.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 11-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Palsrok, Pavlov, Palmer, LaJoy, Elsenheimer, Moore, Pearce, Miller, Byrnes, Bennett and Donigan,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Representative Palmer assumed the Chair.

Representative Palsrok testified in support of the bills.

Representative Palsrok resumed the Chair.

Ken Rauscher, representing the Michigan Department of Agriculture, testified in support of the bills.

Raymond Rustem, representing the Michigan Department of Natural Resources, testified in support of the bills.

Rob Anderson, representing the Michigan Farm Bureau, testified in support of the bills.

Doug Pullman, representing the Michigan Aquatic Managers Association, testified in support of the bills.

The following people submitted cards in support of the bills, but did not wish to speak:

James Clift, representing the Michigan Environmental Council,
Mike Johnston, representing the Michigan Manufactures Association,
Erin McDonough, representing the Michigan United Conservation Clubs,
Steve Arwood, representing Heart of the Lakes.

Representative Palsrok offered the following amendment to HB 4710 (H-1):

1. Amend page 2, following line 11, by inserting:

“(iv) **GIANT HOGWEED (HERACLEUM MANTEGAZZIANUM) OR A HYBRID**

OR GENETICALLY ENGINEERED VARIANT THEREOF.” and renumbering the remaining subparagraphs.

Representative Pavlov moved to adopt the amendment.

Representative Byrnes supported the motion.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 13-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Palsrok, Pavlov, Palmer, LaJoy, Ward, Elsenheimer, Moore, Pearce, Gillard, Miller, Byrnes, Bennett and Donigan,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Representative Pavlov moved to report out HB 4710 as substitute (H-2) with recommendation.

Representative Byrnes supported the motion.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 13-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Palsrok, Pavlov, Palmer, LaJoy, Ward, Elsenheimer, Moore, Pearce, Gillard, Miller, Byrnes, Bennett and Donigan,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

HB 4710 (H-2) reported out with recommendation.

Representative Pavlov moved to report out HB 4711 as substitute (H-2) with recommendation.

Representative Byrnes supported the motion.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 13-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Palsrok, Pavlov, Palmer, LaJoy, Ward, Elsenheimer, Moore, Pearce, Gillard, Miller, Byrnes, Bennett and Donigan,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

HB 4711 (H-2) reported out with recommendation.

Representative Pavlov moved to report out HB 4712 as substitute (H-1) with recommendation.

Representative Byrnes supported the motion.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 13-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Palsrok, Pavlov, Palmer, LaJoy, Ward, Elsenheimer, Moore, Pearce, Gillard, Miller, Byrnes, Bennett and Donigan,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

HB 4712 (H-1) reported out with recommendation.

Representative Byrnes offered the following amendment to HB 4713 (H-2):

1. Amend page 2, line 14, after the second “**SPECIES**” by inserting “**ALONG WITH A DESCRIPTION AND A PHOTOGRAPH OR DRAWING OF EACH OF THOSE SPECIES**”.

Representative Gillard moved to adopt the amendment.

Representative Pavlov supported the motion.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 13-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Palsrok, Pavlov, Palmer, LaJoy, Ward, Elsenheimer, Moore, Pearce, Gillard, Miller, Byrnes, Bennett and Donigan,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Representative Pavlov moved to report out HB 4713 as substitute (H-3) with recommendation.

Representative Byrnes supported the motion.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 13-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Palsrok, Pavlov, Palmer, LaJoy, Ward, Elsenheimer, Moore, Pearce, Gillard, Miller, Byrnes, Bennett and Donigan,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

HB 4713 (H-3) reported out with recommendation.

Representative Pavlov moved to report out HB 4714 as substitute (H-2) with recommendation.

Representative Gillard supported the motion.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 13-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Palsrok, Pavlov, Palmer, LaJoy, Ward, Elsenheimer, Moore, Pearce, Gillard, Miller, Byrnes, Bennett and Donigan,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

HB 4714 (H-2) reported out with recommendation.

Representative Pavlov moved to report out HB 4715 as substitute (H-2) with recommendation.

Representative Gillard supported the motion.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 13-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Palsrok, Pavlov, Palmer, LaJoy, Ward, Elsenheimer, Moore, Pearce, Gillard, Miller, Byrnes, Bennett and Donigan,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

HB 4715 (H-2) reported out with recommendation.

Representative Pavlov offered the following amendments to HB 4716 (H-2):

1. Amend page 2, line 4, after “**OR**” by inserting a comma and “**BEGINNING 90 DAYS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AMENDATORY ACT THAT ADDED THIS SUBSECTION,**”
2. Amend page 2, line 15, after “**(4)**” by inserting “**BEGINNING 90 DAYS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AMENDATORY ACT THAT ADDED THIS SUBSECTION,**”
3. Amend page 3, line 4, after “**(6)**” by inserting “**BEGINNING 90 DAYS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AMENDATORY ACT THAT ADDED THIS SUBSECTION,**”
4. Amend page 3, line 13, after “**(7)**” by inserting “**BEGINNING 90 DAYS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AMENDATORY ACT THAT ADDED THIS SUBSECTION,**”
5. Amend page 3, line 19, after “**(8)**” by inserting “**BEGINNING 90 DAYS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AMENDATORY ACT THAT ADDED THIS SUBSECTION,**”
6. Amend page 4, line 19, after “**(10)**” by inserting “**BEGINNING 90 DAYS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AMENDATORY ACT THAT ADDED THIS SUBSECTION,**”

Representative Gillard moved to adopt the amendments.

Representative Elsenheimer supported the motion.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 13-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Palsrok, Pavlov, Palmer, LaJoy, Ward, Elsenheimer, Moore, Pearce, Gillard, Miller, Byrnes, Bennett and Donigan,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Representative Pavlov moved to report out HB 4716 as substitute (H-3) with recommendation.

Representative Gillard supported the motion.

The motion prevailed by a vote of 13-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Palsrok, Pavlov, Palmer, LaJoy, Ward, Elsenheimer, Moore, Pearce, Gillard, Miller, Byrnes, Bennett and Donigan,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

HB 4716 (H-3) reported out with recommendation.

With no further business to come before the committee, the Chair adjourned the meeting, the time being 10:16 a.m.

Representative Palsrok, Chair

Ben Cook
Committee Clerk
June 2, 2005
1 hour 16 minutes

Date Approved and Signed

* indicates printed materials attached to original minutes.